

United States Marine Corps

Road Map

Landing Support Specialist 0481

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Combat Service Support Chief 0491



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Private First Class



Upon graduation from Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) Marine receives brief on:

Marine Corps Institute (MCI), Professional Military Education (PME), and college courses

Gaining Command:

Assist and support as appropriate

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MOS

- Recruit Training
- Marine Combat Training (MCT)
- Test for Military Academic Skills Program (MASP); receive MASP Training (if required)
- Basic Landing Support Specialist Course (BLSS)

PME

- MCI (045C) The Logistics/Embarkation Specialist
- MCI (1334H) Math For Marines
- MCI (3420E) Personal Financial Management
- Read at least two books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program
(www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Readinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Test out of MASP if required
- Check-in with the local Servicemember's Opportunity College (SOC) office for military training to college credit counseling. SOCMAR is the SOC degree for the Marine Corps. It consists of colleges that offer Associate's and Bachelor's Degree programs on or accessible to Marine Corps installations worldwide. These colleges have joined together to form a network in which each college accepts credits from other SOCMAR Schools. <http://www.soc.aascu.org/>

DUTY

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SPECIAL DUTY

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Lance Corporal

—2nd Year—



MOS

- Defense Packaging of Hazardous Material (DPHM)
- Air Mobility Command (AMC) Affiliation Load Planners Course
- Marine Air Ground Task Force Deployment Support System II (MDSS)/ICODES Course

PME

- MCI (0033) Fundamentals of Marine Corps Leadership
- MCI (0118K) Spelling
- MCI (0119G) Punctuation
- MCI (0210B) Terrorism Awareness for Marines
- Read at least two books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program
(www.mcu.usmc.mil/Rading/Readinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education working toward an Associate's Degree

DUTY

- Landing Support Specialist billet in the Operating Forces/Supporting Establishment

SPECIAL DUTY

- Not recommended until the rank of Corporal

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Corporal

— 3rd Year —



MOS

- Defense Packaging of Hazardous Material (DPHM)
- Transportation of Hazardous Material Course (THMC)
- Transportation and Stowage of Hazardous Material Course (TSHMC)

PME

- Corporal's Course (Resident)
- MCI (047D) Introduction to Amphibious Embarkation
- MCI (0381C) Land Navigation, this MCI is a prerequisite for the Sergeants Distance Education Program
- MCI (8010) Sergeants Distance Education Program
- MCI (0131H) Correspondence Procedures
- MCI (0112C) Counseling for Marines
- Read at least two books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program
([www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Reading list.htm](http://www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Reading%20list.htm))

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education working toward an Associate's Degree

DUTY

- Landing Support Specialist billet in the Operating Forces/Supporting Establishment

SPECIAL DUTY

- Marine Security Guard
- Marine Corps Security Forces

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Sergeant



MOS

- Logistics Embarkation Career Course (LECC)
- Hazardous Materials Recertification Course (HMRC)
- Submit for Warrant Officer (WO), if desired (8yrs of service required)

PME

- Sergeant's Course (Resident)
- MCI (8100) SNCO Career Distance Education Program
- Read at least two books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program (www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Readinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education working toward an Associate's Degree

DUTY

- Logistics NCO in the Operating Forces/Supporting Establishment

SPECIAL DUTY

- Drill Instructor
- Recruiting
- Marine Combat Instructor (MOS 8513)
- Marine Security Guard
- Marine Corps Security Forces

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Staff Sergeant



MOS

- Combat Service Support Chief (CSSC) Course
- Team Embarkation Officer Assistant (TEOA) Course
- Recertification in Safety, Hazmat, and AMC Affiliation classes, as required

PME

- SNCOA Career Course (Resident)
- MCI (8200) SNCO Advanced Distance Education Program
- Read at least three books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program
(www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Readinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Apply for the SNCO Degree Completion Program
- Continue education; complete an Associate's Degree or commence Bachelor's Degree study

DUTY

- Logistics Chief billet in the Operating Forces/Supporting Establishment
- Inspector-Instructor (I-I) Staff
- Combat Cargo Assistant (CCA) billet aboard amphibious ship

SPECIAL DUTY

- Drill Instructor
- Recruiting
- Marine Combat Instructor (MOS 8513)
- Marine Security Guard
- Marine Corps Security Forces

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Gunnery Sergeant



MOS

- Combat Service Support Chiefs Course (CSSC)
- Air Movement Planning Course (AMPC)
- Formal School Instructor Course (See note below)
- Career selection to First Sergeant or Master Sergeant

PME

- SNCOA Advanced Course (Resident)
- Tactical Logistical Officer Course (TLOC)
- MCI (7400) Warfighting Skills Program
- Read at least four books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program
(www.mcu.mil/Reading/Readinglists.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education working towards a Bachelor's Degree

DUTY

- Combat Service Support Chief billet in the Force Service Support Group (FSSG), Marine Division (Div), or Marine Aircraft Wing (MAW)
- Logistics Chief billet in the Regiment, or Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU)
- Combat Cargo Assistant aboard Amphibious Ship
- Instructor billet at MOS School or SNCO Academy

SPECIAL DUTY

- Drill Instructor
- Recruiting
- Marine Combat Instructor (MOS 8513)
- Marine Security Guard
- Marine Security Forces
- Exchange Program with US Army, Navy or Air Force

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Master Sergeant



MOS

- Managed-On-The-Job-Training (MOJT), as required, per the Individual Training Standards System (MCO 1510.61_)

PME

- First Sergeant or Master Sergeant Seminar
- Advanced Logistics Operations Course (ALOC)
- Marine Corps Logistics Education Program (MCLEP)
- Complete MCI (8510) and (8600) Amphibious Warfare School Distance Education Program
- Read at least four books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program (www.mcu.usmc.mil/ReadingReadinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education working toward a Bachelor's Degree

DUTY

- Logistics Chief, Aviation Squadron
- Operations Chief billet in the Marine Expeditionary Unit Service Support Group (MSSG)
- Combat Cargo Assistant aboard Amphibious Ship
- Instructor billet at SNCO Academy
- Inspector billet in the Marine Corps Logistics Chain Analysis Team (MCLCAT)
- Joint Tour

SPECIAL DUTY

- Exchange Program with US Army, Navy or Air Force

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Master Gunnery Sergeant



MOS

- Managed-On-The-Job-Training (MOJT), as required, per the Individual Training Standards System (MCO 1510.61_)

PME

- Sergeant Major and Master Gunnery Sergeant Symposium
- Russell Leadership Conference
- Marine Corps Logistics Education Program (MCLEP)
- Complete MCI (8800) Command & Staff College Distance Education Program
- Read at least four books annually from the U.S. Marine Reading Program, per MCO P1553.4 (www.mcu.usmc.mil/Reading/Readinglist.htm)

VOLUNTARY EDUCATION

- Continue education complete Bachelor's Degree

DUTY

- SMO/Logistics Chief billet in the G-4, MEF, FSSG, DIV, MAW, or Base
- Inspector billet in the Marine Corps Logistics Chain Analysis Team (MCLCAT)
- SNCOIC of the Advanced Course or Assistant Deputy Director at the SNCO Academy
- Joint Tour

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- Exchange Program with US Army, Navy or Air Force



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